

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT  
DIVISIONAL OF 09/447,049

--18. A method of inducing IL-12 in a patient in vivo that comprises orally administering AHCC to the patient.

19. A method of inducing IL-12 in a patient in vivo that comprises orally administering AHCC and components of fungal mycelium to the patient.

20. A method of inducing IL-12 in a patient in vivo that comprises orally administering AHCC, components of fungal mycelium and components of hemolytic streptococci to the patient.--